

IT IS REAL WAR

Bombardments, Field Fights and
Severe Sieges.

CORPORATE CLOSE RANCE WORK

Glorious Courage Shows By the
British Against Odds—Another
Beat of the Boers.

NO INTERVENTION.

PARIS, Oct. 27.—An authoritative statement was issued this afternoon formally denying the rumors of intended Franco-Russian intervention in the Transvaal war, and declaring that France has no ground and no desire for any such intervention at present and that Russia is most likely placed in the same position, adding that Germany is the only power directly concerned in the matter.

BOERS BOMBARD.

PRETORIA, Oct. 24, via Lorenzo Marques.—The bombardment of Mafeking by General Cronje's commando began this morning. The women and children were given ample time to leave the town.

PRETORIA, Oct. 25, via Lorenzo Marques.—The shelling of Mafeking was resumed at daybreak this morning. Several houses are in flames.

LONDON, Oct. 27.—The Cape Town correspondent of the Daily News says it is reported there from private sources that the British issued from Mafeking on Saturday last and surrounded and captured 240 Boers.

There is little news from the western border. The cordon around Kimberley is drawing closer, but hopes are expressed that a flying squadron will shortly be sent to its relief. The Boers have occupied Wyndfontein, an unprotected town. The magistrate, with the consent of the inhabitants, surrendered on demand, conditional upon the lives and property of the people being respected. It is alleged, however, that the Boers refused to respect the property of absentees. There is intense anxiety for further news from Mafeking, where it is believed a number of officers who were supposed to be at Mafeking joined Colonel Baden-Powell.

A BRITISH VICTORY.
LONDON, Oct. 26.—Details of the fighting at Relifontaine are coming in slowly. A special dispatch from Lady Smith, dated October 24, filed after the fight, says: On discovery that the Boers were massed to the westward of the main road to Dundee, an attempt was made by a train to recover the body of Colonel Scott-Chisholm, killed at Elands Laagte. The train was fired upon and obliged to retire, and General White moved out to attack the Boers, believed to be Free Staters who should have joined the Transvaalers at Elands Laagte. General White commanded personally.

The Fifth Lancers were placed on either flank. They first came in touch with the Boers below Moddersdrift, where 1,500 burghers occupied a strong ridge, whence they opened fire at 1,200 yards, hitting several British. In the meanwhile the Hussars and Natal Carbineers advanced unscathed through an opening in the ridge under fire of a Boer gun, while the Imperial Light Horse took part of the crest of the hill, the Boers retiring. At about 9 o'clock a Boer gun stationed on the crest of Matabanaskop opened fire with great accuracy on the main force, which in the meantime had come up, but the shells failed to explode, and the British Artillery silenced the opposition. The whole British force then advanced and the action became general.

A large body of Boers occupied strong positions at Matabanaskop and the precipitous ridges surrounding it. The British guns held the position and the infantry advanced under their fire. The Gloucesters and Devons crossed a fearful fire zone beneath Tuitanyonki hill, whence the Boers poured a withering fire with such effect that thirty of the attackers dropped in a distance of 200 yards. Seeing the peril of the Devons and Gloucesters, General White dispatched the Carbineers and Liverpools to take the enemy in the rear. A fierce rifle and artillery duel was maintained for some time. The British Maxims rattled, but the Boers, under cover of the rocks, remained cool and replied with an incessant rifle fire. The British artillery swept the face of the hills and at length the shells became so destructive that the Boers retreated to another ridge, whence they were dislodged by the volunteers in the face of a galling fire.

The Boers soon reformed and took up a position on another ridge, but the volunteers dashed across the intervening plateau, again rushed the Boer positions and drove them back to the main force, occupying Matabanaskop. The British then shelled the latter until clusters of Boers were seen leaving and retreating westward when the engagement closed.

BOTH KILLED.

NEW YORK, Oct. 27.—A cable to the Tribune from London says: The center of interest has been shifted from Natal to Kimberley and in a lesser degree farther north, where the border of the Transvaal merges with Rhodesia. The Kimberley garrison has made a brilliant sortie, under Colonel Scott-Turner and Murray. As in the Natal battles an artillery duel was followed by a brisk charge with bayonets, in which the men of the Royal North Lancashire Regiment distinguished themselves as notably as the Gordons.

King's Royal Rifles and Irish Fusiliers did at Glencoe and Elands Laagte. At trifling cost to this garrison a considerable Boer force was swept away with the loss of many men, including their leader, Commandant Botha.

Thus, whatever lies in reserve for the town, cut off from the military base and surrounded by the enemy in overwhelming strength, Kimberley was still holding out last Tuesday. The garrison was in excellent spirits, and various ladies, including Lady Sarah Churchill, aunt by marriage of the Duchess of Marlborough, were working cheerfully as nurses. There was even gossip about a wedding in the camp.

Boer messages received at Lorenzo Marques and the remarks of their prisoners imply an admission of serious and unlooked-for reverses. Everything that can be gleaned from various sources makes it plain that the hospitals of Johannesburg and elsewhere in the Transvaal are being severely strained to accommodate the large numbers of Boer wounded. Nevertheless, until it is known that General White has struck a decisive blow in Natal and that Kimberley and Mafeking have been relieved or else abandoned by their assailants, uneasiness here must continue.

A foreign military attaché competent to express an opinion and entirely friendly to England, sums up the situation thus: "It is quite true that the British have done admirably wherever they have been assailed, inflicting severe losses on the enemy and upsetting the plans of the Boer generals, besides creating a moral impression of power not expected of their numbers. Yet they are outnumbered in Natal in the proportion of two to one, or at least three to two. They are more seriously outnumbered and beleaguered at Kimberley and Mafeking, and at each point they are being attacked with scientific skill and stolid, persistent courage. One cannot but be uneasy for the Natal field force in such a situation, while the capture of Kimberley or Mafeking may very possibly prove to be a mere matter of days."

MILL IS WANTED

Need of the Hour in the
Coffee District.

Planter Offers a Demonstration—Gives Assurance That the Enterprise Would Pay Well-Increasing Crop.

Hamakua, Hawaii, Oct. 24, 1899.
Mr. Editor: A chance for investment: There is a coffee mill badly needed in Hamakua, and the men that are fortunate enough to get it built are sure of a good investment, if not a fortune. This district will produce 100 to 150 tons of coffee this year, and it is safe to say that this amount will increase rapidly for the next five years. This mill, I feel sure, could, by paying a fair price for the coffee, get nearly, if not all, the coffee that is grown in this district.

The mill would have to be made with the idea of buying the berries in the cherry, and which would save the coffee planters the expense of building drying-houses, piling machines, etc., and which in the long run would be to their interest. We have thought this matter out and have decided that if a central factory was built at a place we know of, where both water and fire wood are abundant, that it would be a good thing both for the planter and the mill; as the work could be done so cheaply that the mill could afford to pay a good price for the coffee in the cherry.

Mr. C. R. Blacow will guarantee to take the coffee in the cherry and prepare it for the market, or the roaster, for a cent a pound; that is, providing he has the privilege of selecting the machinery. This he, I have no doubt, is perfectly qualified to do, as he has made a study of this subject for years. One of the main objects of this mill would be to make a high grade of coffee and to establish a name so that a good price for the coffee could always be depended upon.

The mill could also secure land here and grow part of the output, so that in time we would have one of the largest and best-equipped coffee mills in the island. There is, I feel assured, a fine opening for such an investment here and it is our object to incorporate a company for this purpose unless some one starts to build it in the near future. There will be no trouble in getting the money for this enterprise, as the mill will be equipped with all the latest and best class of machinery, and erected and run in an economical manner, and will be sure to pay 25 to 30 per cent interest on the money invested, and at the same time pay the planters a high price for their coffee. Indeed it will be one of the main objects of the company to induce the planters to grow a high grade of coffee, and to assist them all it can in every way.

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NEW CABLE PLAN

The United States, Great Britain,
Japan and Russia.

WASHINGTON IS INTERESTED

Assembling Data—Present Project
Solves Many Difficulties—Hawaii
Important Point.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 26.—In diplomatic and official quarters attention is being directed to the question of a Pacific cable linking this country with the Philippines and points beyond, and it is understood that this Government and the foreign Governments which would be affected by the cable are now actively considering the subject.

The officials here are assembling data and preparing cable maps, with the expectation that the matter will be brought to the early attention of Congress. In a general way the project is for a cable of four links, viz.: From San Francisco to Hawaii, 2,160 miles; from Hawaii to Wake Island, 2,044 miles; from Wake Island to Guam, 1,293 miles; from Guam to Manila, 1,250 miles.

These landing points are all within the control of the United States, our flag having been raised on Wake Island not long ago. This would connect all the American possessions in the Pacific by a line crossing no foreign territory. Besides this, the plan permits of an expansion so as to secure two outlets to Asia and the Far East.

The first of these would be from Manila to the Japanese island of Formosa, from which island Japan has built a line to the Japanese coast and the mainland of Asia. The second outlet would be from Hawaii south to Fanning's Island, at which point the newly projected British cable from Vancouver to New Zealand crosses.

The foregoing projects would not be private enterprises, but a Government undertaking. The Government, it is urged in support of the projects, would be not only free from the present high charges and from the supervision of foreign companies now handling the business, but the line being opened to the public and commercial uses at a reasonable rate would afford facilities for the expanding trade of the Pacific and thereby yield a considerable return to the Government.

Foreign governments which would be affected by this project—notably Russia, Japan and Great Britain—are beginning to show some concern over it and it is understood that the Government has been sounded of late from several foreign quarters to learn what its plans are.

DON'T NEGLECT

A Common Cause of Piles—It may
Lead to Serious Results.
(From the Sydney Herald.)

When people generally understand that all such fatal diseases as fistula, ulcer of the rectum, fissure, etc., almost invariably begin in a simple case of piles, they will learn the wisdom of taking prompt treatment for the first appearance of trouble in this quarter. Doan's Ointment will certainly cure every form of piles—itching, bleeding, protruding, or blind piles—and hundreds of lives have been saved by using this cheap, effective remedy right at the start, because at such a time a single pot will effect a cure, while in the old chronic, deep-seated cases, several pots are sometimes necessary before a lasting cure is effected. Here is a case:

Mr. William Gilliver, of the well-known firm of Gilliver & Curtis, railway and general contractors, and whose private address is "Avoca," Bankstown, has written the following unsolicited letter, which we herewith publish in full:

Dear Sir:—In justice to you and suffering humanity I write to say that I suffered from itching piles for 22 years. I tried many doctors and pretty well all kinds of patent medicines, but got relief for a short time only. Seeing your Ointment advertised I bought a pot and did not use more than one-half of it, not six months ago, and I am perfectly cured. You may use this as you wish.

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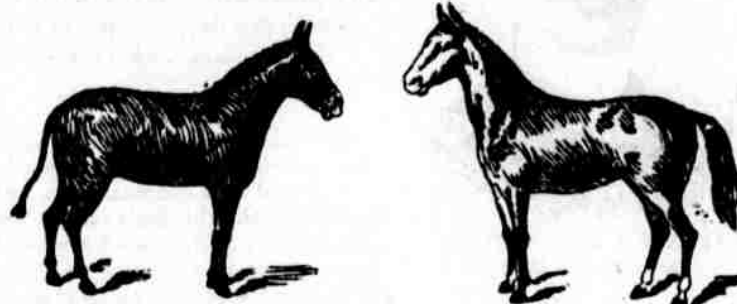
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